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## SEATTLE.

We have been so engrossed in the rush of Christmas preparation that we have not written the JOURNAL as promptly as usual. The event in Seattle among the Silents this month was the first annual Gallaudet banquet, on December 8th, held at Boldt's Rainier Restaurant. Follows the menu and program:

**MENU**  
Crab Cocktail  
Celery  
Fruit Salad  
Roast Young Stuffed Turkey  
Mashed Potato  
Sweet Potato  
Hot Mince Pie  
Tea, Coffee or Milk  
Cranberry Sauce  
Peas  
Cheese

**PROGRAM**  
Introductory Address—Chas. A. Gumer, President P. S. A. D.  
Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet—Olof Hanson.  
Sophia Fowler Gallaudet—Mrs. W. E. Brown.  
Tableau (Gallaudet Monument)—Gallaudet, L. O. Christenson; Alice Cogswell, Miss Bertha Seipp.  
Poem (Gallaudet)—Mrs. Agatha Hanson, Statement about the Gallaudet Monument Replica at Hartford, Ct.  
Rev. Thomas Gallaudet—Hugo A. Holcombe.  
Dr. E. M. Gallaudet—Oscar Sanders.

In Memoriam (Prominent Educators of the Deaf): Alex. Graham Bell, Superintendent W. C. Clark, Superintendent H. C. Hammond, Superintendent L. Mulligan, Dr. J. B. Hotchkiss, Dr. E. A. Fay, J. N. Tate). By A. W. Wright.

Anecdotes and Impromptu Remarks.

The committee were Olof Hanson, J. C. Bertram, N. Carl Garrison.

The affair was a P. S. A. D. event, and took the place of the regular monthly business meeting. It was a shining success as far as the pleasure of all present was concerned. The meal was substantial and well-prepared, and the service and artistic features were well arranged. There were fifty present, and the attendance would probably have been doubled, if there had been more publicity and more time between the decision to hold the banquet and the date set for it. It is certain that all who attended this year will come again and induce others to come, if unanimous praise is any indication.

Beside the speakers mentioned in the regular program various interesting incidents and anecdotes were related by the following: Mr. J. A. Key, of Tacoma; Mr. Bodley, Mrs. Bertram, Mr. Waugh, Mr. Gerner, Mr. Jack Bertram, Mr. McConnell and Mr. W. S. Root.

Mr. C. A. Gumaer, president of the P. S. A. D., presided as toast master, and distinguished himself in that role. His happy remarks, his fairness, and his courtesy lent the right touch of dignity to the occasion. Through the kindness of Jack Bertram, an excellent small cut of Gallaudet was obtained for use on the programs, and a photo print enlarged from the small one adorned the wall. And so the kindly face of Gallaudet gazed down upon the feast prepared in his honor.

About three weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Waugh had a few friends up at their hospitable home to partake of roast duck. While on the way to the feast, W. E. Brown was knocked down by a truck and quite a bit bruised and shaken up.

A letter from Mrs. Jerry Stewart in Yakima tells us that Jerry has his old place at Congdon Orchards at good wages, and that our friends are again settled down, though not in the same home they had before coming to Seattle. They are comfortably fixed for the winter, but miss the gay times they had in our midst.

Miss Diane Ingraham is spent the Christmas holidays at home in Spokane, but we hope to see her back in time for the New Year Party.

Miss Genevieve Lyon is now Mrs. John E. Rose, and desires all her friends to be informed. She was married in June, and is now living in Taylor, a coal mining town in the Cascades. Mr. Rose is hard of hearing, and as Genevieve also is not totally deaf, they are well matched in that respect. We wish,

however, that she would bring him to Seattle, and introduce him to her friends, who all extend their congratulations to her and best wishes for her future happiness. She speaks in her letter of the beautiful scenery at Taylor, and says that in the clear air Mt. Rainier appears only a few miles away, whereas the real distance is about a hundred and ten miles.

The mill at Anacortes, where Abe Himmelsheim has been working for several years, was recently destroyed by fire, and at present Abe is out of work. But we hope he will soon be working again. The mill is to be rebuilt larger and better than before. There are quite a number of deaf at Anacortes and all appear to be doing well.

Harold Harris is now working in Olympia. He came over to Seattle for a Christmas visit.

Pat Carney from Anacortes visited Seattle and Tacoma during the Christmas holidays.

Rex Oliver came over from Everett for a Christmas visit.

Mr. Hiram N. Glikson, who about two months ago suffered a stroke that paralyzed the right half of his body, is improving slowly and will probably recover entirely in time. He is able to move about in a wheel chair, but cannot walk as yet. He keeps up his interest in collecting rare stamps, by means of a typewriter is able to carry on considerable correspondence. Recently he received letter from Germany carrying postage of several billion marks.

The stamps were ordinary stamps with the amount "5,000,000,000 M." printed across the face. What nonsense! Such figures mean nothing to all Mr. Glikson has a fine collection of post cards, showing the stamps used in different countries all over the world. If you have any rare old stamps that may be valuable, write him at 2859 W. 57th Street, Seattle.

Mr. Seth W. Ladd is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Bryan at 3918 Stone Way, Seattle. Mr. Ladd has many friends in Seattle, who will be glad to meet him again.

The estate of Mrs. Agatha Tiegol, who died in Pittsburgh a year ago, has been in process of settlement, and a partial distribution made. Mrs. Agatha Tiegol Hanson, a daughter, and one of the heirs, wears a happy smile in consequence of a substantial addition to her bank account. But she is not planning to buy any automobiles. Not after her experience at Snoqualmie Pass last year. Safety first!

Thys Ferwerda from Anacortes was in Seattle recently, but did not stop long, there being stronger attraction for him near Vancouver. We hope to have an interesting news item from him before long.

THE HANSONS.  
December 27, 1923.

## SOUTH CALIFORNIA.

Deputy, of Oakland, with his bride, both Oral School products, stopped in Santa Barbara to see Albert Munro. Deputy was to box in Hollywood, and later visit in San Diego.

Scott Halloway, of Seattle, Wash., has a representative of the numerous Halloway relatives on the St. Louis colored stars, played baseball in Southern California. The right fielder look like S. H. any way.

Norman Lambert and James M. Park were held up on the Ocean Highway one Sunday. All they lost was their dignity. No, they were not broke either. Deputy Sheriff searching for bootleg, is the mild explanation. But if Mrs. Park had been along, the whole party would have been in jail, for resisting an officer and for talking back to an officer.

The Parks may go to Los Angeles to look for interior decorations for their renovated house.

I am still out of a job, unable to collect moneys due me, and running deeper into debt. If you see in your local paper a prominently displayed headline announcing bankruptcy it will be me—or J.

New York Times Magazine, December 9th, under "The World of Art," commenting on the exhibition at the Brooklyn Etching Club: "It is pleasant to see again the work of Cadwallader Washburn, but there is nothing in these recent plates of the old fastidious touch

upon devall. His bullfight subjects have impetuous swing of line and breadth of tone, a complete personal rendering of a theme burdened with classic tradition. They afford a peculiarly clear illustration of the superiority of artist's synthesis over mere statement of fact, however, closely observed, in giving an authentic impression. Compared with the western plates of Edward Borein, for example, in which there can be no question of the artist's complete familiarity with his subject, they have authority and power that carries conviction without argument, while Mr. Borein's undoubtedly truthful account of the life of the plains fails to control the mind of the observer." To emphasize by contrast, the critic further comments: "Kerr Eby's desert series, beautifully done with restraint and skill and sensitiveness, also falls just short of conveying the sense of immensity. The little men or little camels are conceived in the right spirit, atmos in a limitless world, but the world as shown is not limitless; is, on the contrary, defined with a certain neatness that checks imagination."

Cadwallader Washburn has had his W-K roadster sent to Los Angeles to be made over.

A. C. Dreyer and Jessie McTuidy Dreyer, of Topeka, Kan., is spoiling a grandson. The Topeka deaf have a Bible class ministered to by a local preacher.

THEO. C. MUELLER.  
December 28, 1923.

## AKRON, OHIO.

The Goodyear Silents basketball team journeyed to Willard, December 26th, where they opened the first game of the basketball season with the Willard team. They then played the Wapakoneta quintet, December 28th, at Wapakoneta, an opposing team at Findley January 1st, 1924. They inaugurated their new basketball uniforms. The shirts are scarlet with lettered on the front and numbered on the back. The pants are of the white color.

Mrs. J. A. Steele entertained about thirty friends at her home Sunday evening, for Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hetzler, with a miscellaneous shower. Games were enjoyed and at a timely hour the hostess served a dainty luncheon.

We were sorry to learn that Duane Farry, once a resident of Kent, died at his home in Mansfield several weeks ago, following an illness of three years. He leaves a wife and one child and his deaf brother, Charles Farry, who resides at Ravenna.

About 150 persons attended a Christmas party held at 60 S. High Street, Santa Claus presided at the Christmas tree, and distributed candies and oranges to the children following an installation of newly elected officers and retiring officers of the Akron Division, N. F. S. D. We are pleased to know that this Chapter has been started under such favorable auspices since 1924. It modestly shows all the other divisions in the country what Akron is doing. Good luck to the new officers. Out of town friends who enjoyed the affair were Howell Stottler, Calvin Stottler and Burton Hall, of Cleveland and Ray Hauey of Ravenna.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Rasmussen entertained a group of friends on Christmas Eve at their home. A merry time was had.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frass, Mr. and Mrs. William Williams, Miss Clara Hackman and Herman Moore motored to Cleveland Sunday, December 23d, where they visited friends and attended the Christmas entertainment and supper for the deaf in St. John Cathedral Hall given by the Cleveland Circle.

Mrs. F. X. Zitznik, who was the week end guest of her friends in Cleveland, attended the Christmas party at Cathedral Hall and greeted many friends.

A few friends were entertained at a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Draginis. All had an enjoyable time.

M. Q. Frater, father of Leo D. Frater, was called Tuesday to Walkerton, Ind., by the sudden death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Frater.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince, of Fall Mills, W. Va., are visiting her daughter Mrs. Charles Schiffbauer, and family, of Sawyerwood for several weeks.

Leo Puchen has returned to Sabring after spending the Christmas week with friends here. Mr. Puchen is a product of Mississippi.

Mrs. F. A. Andrewjeski, has returned to East Akron after a lengthy visit with relatives in Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Benedict were Christmas callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stewart. They enjoyed being there and saw a tree, honoring little Herbert. Many fancy bright balls on the tree were lighted with electricity. The tree certainly looked very beautiful.

Mrs. Arzy Pickle was reported sick at her home, but is now somewhat better.

Russell Moore, who is in the insurance business in East Akron, has joined the automobile crowd, having recently purchased a new Ford coupe. We suggest that Mr. Moore should carry liability insurance.

Mrs. T. L. Irvin has gone to Texas for a visit with her folks. She will be gone several months.

The automobile seems to have a good many silents wonderfully "hypnotized" in East Akron. W. J. Kuntz one of the "victims" recently purchased a new Ford coupe.

The N. F. S. D., Division No. 55, held a meeting at Goodyear Hall recently, and the following officers were elected for 1924: K. B. Ayers, president (re-elected); William Pfunder, Vice president; B. M. Shaw, secretary; F. D. Gilbert, treasurer; John Wondrak, director; Pat Murphy, sergeant-at-arms.

The Akron Advance Society of the Deaf, under the care of the N. F. S. D., division, elected the following officers to take their places for the coming year: John Wondrak, president; H. C. Ware, vice president; W. Osborne, secretary; John Carver, treasurer; J. A. Shropshire, custodian.

Mike Gormly, who is employed by the George R. Jackson Company, has returned to this city after a week's visit with his sisters and old friends at Oil City, Pa.

W. A. Hays spent a few days' holiday in Athens, at the home of his sister.

## AKRONITE.

## National Association of the Deaf.

GALLAUDET MONUMENT REPLICA FUND.  
BULLETIN No. 30

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

In connection with the collection of contributions for the Gallaudet Monument-Replica Fund the Committee deems it advisable to direct the attention of contributors and others to the subjoined facts:

Among other points mentioned in the Committee's Report to the Atlanta Convention, one section announced that the sculptor, Mr. Daniel C. French, "advises that we leave a wide margin for extra outlays, because all sorts of unexpected expenses arise in such a venture. In his opinion the Committee would be getting off very cheaply at \$6,500. If it were an entirely new work of sculpture, it would cost at least \$30,000. Mr. French estimated the cost of the replica of the Gallaudet Statue, with pedestal, approximately as follows:

Casting statue in bronze	\$2,500
Cost of pedestal, with foundations, in Stony Creek Granite	3,167
Packing and transportation of model and incidental expenses	750
Estimated	\$6,714

The incidental expenses mentioned, refer to the possible repairing of the model, which may need a good deal of attention, the packing and shipping, insurance on the work as it progresses, shipping of the bronze to Hartford and erection on the pedestal, and probably some further unexpected items of expense. This does not include any remuneration for the valuable services of Mr. French, who has been indefatigable in his activities, and has exhibited a most liberal and helpful spirit in assisting the Committee.

Since the above was presented to the National Association at Atlanta,

the Committee has been informed by Mr. French that he cannot locate the original plaster cast, or model, and that it may be necessary, next Spring to make a new cast in plaster from the statue at Kendall Green. This will entail an additional \$1,000, or more. The Committee has in hand January 1, 1924, \$5,591.43, and with this new and unlooked for expenditure, it will require fully \$7,500, to complete and set up the statue at Hartford that is, \$2,000 more in contributions will be needed.

Since the inception of the Replica project, the deaf of the various States have contributed more or less liberally, with a few exceptions, and these latter are prominent by reason of having given nothing. The contributions received, as near as can be computed from the bulletins recording the addresses of the donors, is here given:—

Alabama	\$48 70
Arizona	
Arkansas	13 81
California	14 00
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Connecticut	49 61
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Georgia	25 00
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Iowa	23 25
Kansas	
Kentucky	
Louisiana	6 50
Maine	37 40
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Michigan	37 55
Minnesota	10 00
Mississippi	25 77
Missouri	29 00
Montana	
Nebraska	
Nevada	
New Hampshire	7 00
New Jersey	57 06
New Mexico	15 15
New York	627 12
North Carolina	37 83
North Dakota	36 66
Ohio	144 27
Oklahoma	64 85
Oregon	1 00
Pennsylvania	58 40
Rhode Island	1 00
South Carolina	15 00
South Dakota	
Tennessee	52 50
Texas	59 35
Utah	
Vermont	1 00
Virginia	
West Virginia	36 04
Washington	17 50
Wisconsin	
Wyoming	

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R. Z. Edmiston	25
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Mattie Henderson	50
Margaret Hauberg	1 00
Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Taylor	1 00
Mattie Wood	25
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Bernice Beadle	25
Elise Griffiths	10
Louisa Dearman	25
Mrs. Ada Jernigan	12
Mrs. H. R. Eddy	50

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Ruth Roberts, Hazel Horn, Lucy Sigmam, Dollie Jones, Blanche Giles, Alice Westral, Jewel Tubb, Grace Smith, Willie Cheney.

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Miscellaneous sums:  
Charles Honnell, 2 cents, R. C. Worrell, 8 cents, Irving Hood, 3 cents, Naomi Wells, 2 cents, Glennie Leehy, 4 cents, Novie Roberts, 9 cents, V. Golloway, 6 cents, Opal Fletcher, 2 cents, Velma Sheets, 3 cents, Callie Tubb, 2 cents, Leola McLeod, 3 cents, T. M. Hardy, 4 cents.

Through Chas. W. Kessler	2 00
Mrs. Lorena Facetti	50
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J. R. Quarles	1 50
Carl Blount	1 00
Ray H. Ron	50
Chester Erwin	50
Cleveland Davis	50
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sizemore	1 00
Elisde Facetti	1 00
Wolfeud M. Johnson	1 00
Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Benedict	1 00
Frank E. Philpott	50
Mrs. Emma Morris	50
Mrs. W. A. Pope	1 00
Rev. J. H. Cloud, (Lecture) Missouri	12 00
Washington, D. C. Celebration, December 10th	40 25
Washington, D. C., Division, No. 46, N. F. S. D.	5 00
Roy J. Stewart, Washington, D. C.	1 00
R. J. Labrie, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.	2 00
1st Baptist Church, Baltimore, Gallaudet Social	7 12

Total \$5,298 34

A check for the full amount has been sent to Professor Drake, Treasurer.

THOMAS FRANCIS FOX Chairman.  
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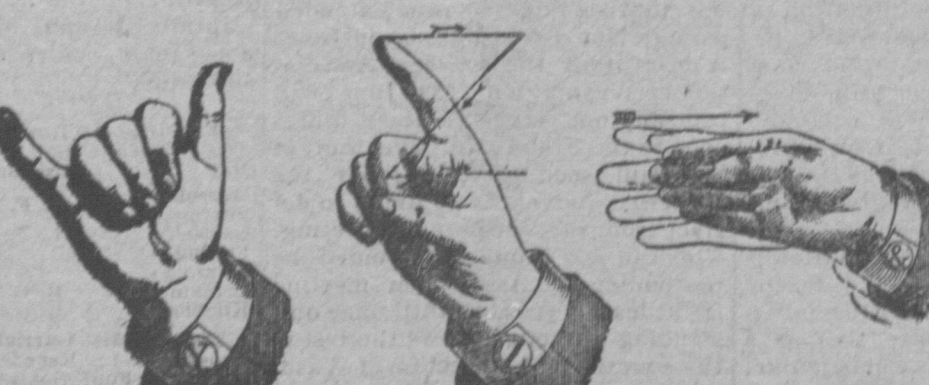
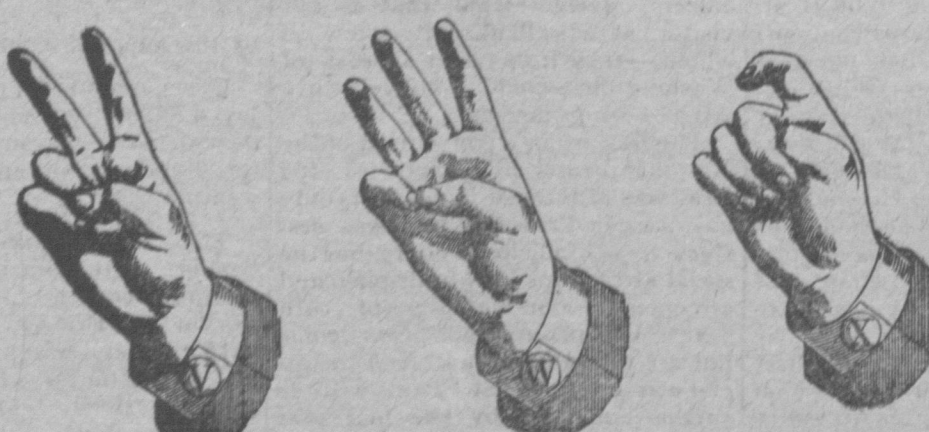
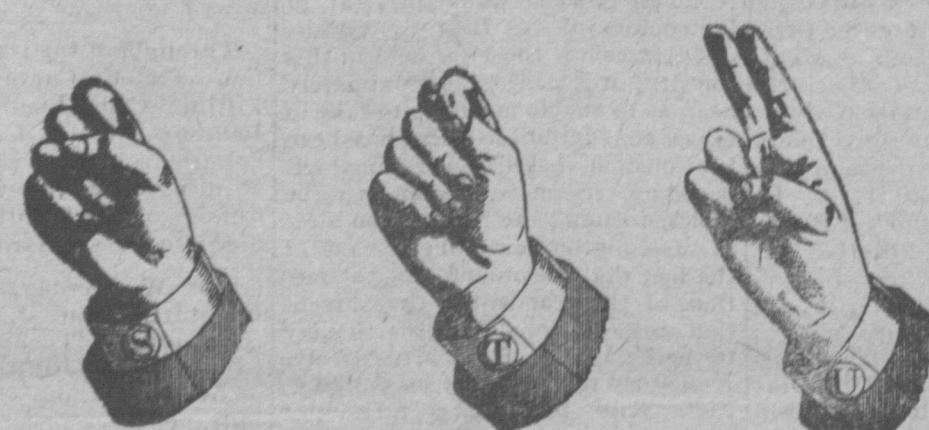
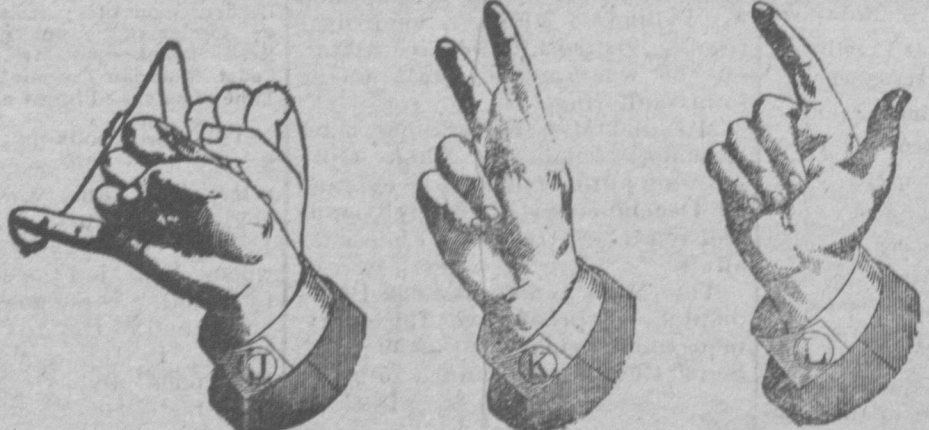
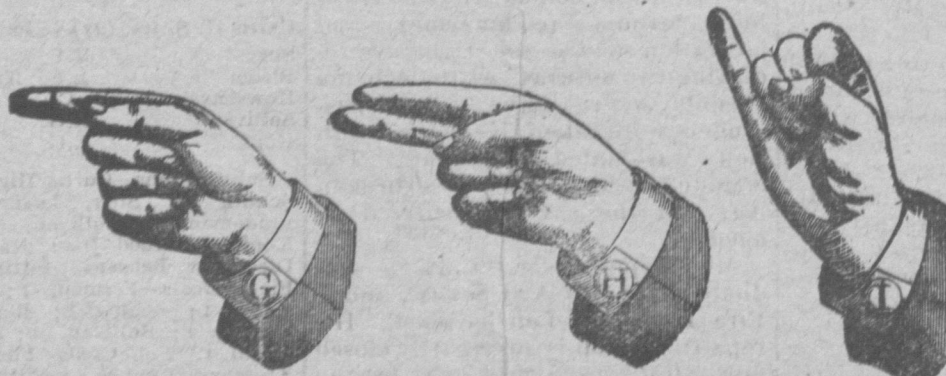
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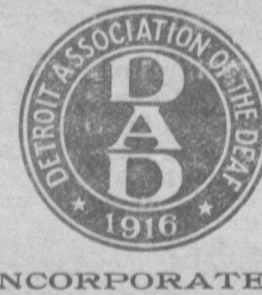
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## OHIO.

Just before leaving for the Land of Sunshine and Flowers, Mr. Greener asked the writer to keep Ohio on the map during his absence, and we promised to do our best, although we know it will be no easy job to fill the shoes of such a veteran scribe as A. B. G. Just now it seems hard to dig up enough news to make a letter.

Word reached Mr. Greener's home today saying that he had reached New Orleans and was taking in the old town.

Superintendent A. Manning, of the Western Pennsylvania School, is the guest of Superintendent J. W. Jones. Mr. Manning is making an inspection tour of schools and unfortunately reached Columbus during vacation time. From here he goes to the Kentucky School.

Our genial boys' supervisor, Mr. August Beckert and his estimable wife, who have been enjoying a week's rest in Piqua with Mr. Beckert's relatives, returned to the school today, ready to take up their duties again. January 7th, the pupils will return and January 8th, the regular school work will begin where it stopped on December 20th.

We have learned that Mr. George Black, one of the school janitors has been forced to retire owing to infirmities caused by a bad fall he sustained last summer while busy cleaning walls. As he was injured while performing his duties it is hoped that he can be compensated. Another graduate of the school, Mr. Joseph Arnold, has been added to the workers in the children's dining room.

Miss Edith Biggam bled herself off to her former home in Canton, O., to secure some rest before assuming the presidency of the Columbus Ladies' Aid Society this month.

Marriage bells have been ringing down in Athens County for another deaf couple. In the latter part of December, Miss Irene Six became the wife of Mr. Oscar R. dman. Some of their friends, thinking to make the deaf hear, indulged in a "belling" party. The couple have started housekeeping in the house recently occupied by Mr. Walter Redman, brother of the groom, who has accepted a job in Mansfield, O.

Mr. Alvin Cowden, of Mansfield, who underwent an operation for appendicitis is reported as being on the road to recovery.

Mr. John Fryfogel is back at his work after enjoying a week's holiday with his folks.

According to Mr. Emory Wood, the New Years' Eve Social given by the Toledo Frats was a fine affair. Some 125 persons were present to sign in 1924.

By request from the Chicago headquarters the Columbus Frats have changed their meeting date from the third Saturday of each month to the first Saturday. Non-resident members and visitors will please remember the change. It seems the Columbus Division has secured a new room in the I. O. O. F. temple for their meetings.

Among the holiday out-of-town visitors were Mr. Williams Huette and Mr. Calvin Fisher, of Akron, Mr. Leroy Schwartz, of Akron, Mr. Schild, of Mansfield, Mr. Wm. McConnell, of Portsmouth. The latter, accompanied by his mother, was on his way to Washington, D. C., where his mind and heart are acquiring knowledge at Gallaudet College.

Saturday, December 29th, at twelve o'clock Dr. S. S. Palmer, of Broad Street Presbyterian Church, invited in marriage Miss May Greener, daughter of Mrs. A. B. Greener, to Mr. Robert P. Thomas, of this city. The wedding, a quiet home affair was witnessed by members of the immediate families and a few old time friends. The mantle in the parlor where the ceremony took place was banked with pink roses and asparagus ferns. Throughout the rooms pink roses formed the decorations. The bride was attired in a love white crepe gown trimmed with Spanish lace. She wore a strand of pearls, a gift from the groom, and carried pink roses.

A delicious four course dinner was served, after which the happy couple left for a short trip. They are now at home at 993 Franklin Avenue. In February, they are going to Florida for a few weeks. They received many beautiful and useful gifts.

In The Chronicle Superintendent Jones has this to say about the bride:

### A RESIGNATION.

Miss Mae Greener, who has been a teacher in the school since 1896, resigned to be married.

She has not only been a faithful and hard working teacher, but she also served the school as interpreter of the deaf. She is a fine woman of high character, and will be greatly missed. Her influence was always for good. These traits of character stood out so boldly in her life and work as to be easily recognized. She is loved by all.

Hereafter she will be Mrs. Thomas. Her intended husband is treasurer of one of the large supply houses in the city. Our loss is his

gain. Good wishes of the whole school go with both of them.

STB.

January 4, 1924.

## St. Louis Briefs

George D. Hunter is spending the holiday season visiting relatives in his old home State—"My Michigan."

Mrs. John E. Purdum, (Doris Jackson), of Chicago, a recent visitor in St. Louis, has been called back to St. Louis on account of her mother's illness.

Mrs. D. W. George, of Jacksonville, Ill., was a recent visitor in the city for a few days—the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wolpert.

Gallaudet School has a moving picture machine. The Board of Education provides educational films without cost, consequently the machine has plenty to do.

The Christmas season brought a real live present to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Brockmeyer—a perfect specimen of a girl—eleven pounds.

Mrs. W. D. Theurer has recovered sufficiently from her recent illness to be taken home. Her many friends hope she will soon regain her normal health.

The St. Louis Division, N. F. S. D. held its annual election of officers for 1924 recently. Louis Moegle was elected president, and James M. Smith, secretary. Roy Lynch was elected to preside over the Gallaudet Club during the coming year.

St. Louis has adopted the Community Fund plan of caring for the worthy charities of the city. This is the second year, the plan has been in operation. The Central Institute for the Deaf, of which Dr. Max Goldstein is the director, has been listed among the approved charities since the fund was inaugurated.

Last year it asked for, and in all probability received from the charity funds, upwards of \$3,000. This year the Institute is listed for over \$13,000. Vigorous protests were made against the Institute being made a beneficiary of the Community Fund last year, and again this year, and the end is not yet. The Central Institute is duplicating public school work at Community Fund expense, which is a species of sheer waste of the fund. The Institute puts the deaf into the pauper class by appealing for charity funds. At a recent mass meeting of the local deaf strong resolutions denouncing the making of the Central Institute a beneficiary of the Community Fund were unanimously passed. The director of the Community Fund seems to be satisfied, after a superficial and one sided look in, that Oralism is what Dr. Goldstein says it is, but the deaf know better and will not let up in educating the public.

For some time past a "Christmas Fund" has been raised under the auspices of St. Louis Division, N. F. S. D., for the purpose of a sort of Community observance of the holiday season and manifestation of the Christmas Spirit. This year's observance was held in the hall of the Gallaudet Club on the afternoon and evening of December 23d. The attendance was quite large and seems to have established a record for such an affair. Quite a few hearing relatives of the deaf were present—mostly children, who had heard of Santa, and were looking forward to meeting him again.

The program opened shortly after three o'clock, and consisted of invocation by the Rev. Dr. Cloud, addresses by Messrs. Burgherr and Steidemann, a Christmas Song by three little girl pupils from Gallaudet School, and a hymn by Mrs. Burgherr. Candy, fruit and toys were given each child present, the grown ups received candy and fruit, and there was a general exchange of gifts via the tree route between friends, while a few who expected nothing were substantially remembered. A "Christmas purse," to which ninety-nine friends had made a donation, was presented Dr. Cloud after a felicitous speech by Mr. Philip Schulte. Refreshments were available, and many as choose to do so spent the evening at the hall. Miss Hattie Deem gave the oral interpretations of the program part. Leo A. Froning was general chairman of the affair, assisted by Messrs. Moegle, Burgherr, Stahr, Mesdames Burgherr, Moegle, Stahr, Froning, and a small army of others.

At Ephphatha Mission, Episcopal, for the colored deaf, in charge of Dr. Cloud, at All Saints' Church, Locust and Garrison Avenues, there was a service on Christmas afternoon followed by a social and supper, which was well attended. Mrs. Teal, Miss Hornberger, Messrs. Carroll, Meals and Jackson saw to it that the refreshment end was well taken care of.

At the Roman Catholic Mission, Garrison and Franklin Avenues, Christmas Day was observed by social features, and the distribution of the usual Christmas trimmings. The attendance was quite large.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bellin was gladdened on Friday, December 14th, 1923, by the arrival of a boy weighing 7 pounds. They have named the youngster Seymour Bellin.

## PHILADELPHIA.

The twenty-second annual dinner of the Gallaudet Club was held at Kugler's Cafe, 34 South 15th Street, Philadelphia, on Monday evening, December 10th, 1923. It was the first time the Club patronized this place, one of the leading cafes in the city, whose reputation was well known in the years gone by; but, owing to the fact that this cafe charged a higher price per plate than the Club usually paid, it was not selected before for the scene of the annual dinner. It is hardly necessary to add that the excellence of the dinner justified the higher price paid per plate.

The dinner was served in the banquet room on the second floor fronting Fifteenth Street, the diners being seated round a large U-shaped table, as follows:

At the head seat Dr. Crouter, Mrs. Crouter, Mr. Donohue, Mrs. Godwin and Mr. Godwin.

The other were: Mr. Ziegler, Mrs. Lipsett, Mr. Lipsett, Mrs. Paul, Mr. Paul, Mrs. Partington, Mr. Rodgers, Mrs. Rodgers, Mr. Sanders, Mrs. Sanders, Mr. Wall, Mr. Suckle, Mr. Grime, Mr. Lee, Mr. Roach, Mrs. Stern, Mr. Stern, Mr. Kepp, Mr. Smaltz, Mrs. Smaltz, Mr. Stevens, Mrs. Stevens, Mr. Arnold, Mrs. Arnold, Mr. Scott, and Mr. Shepherd.

At the head of the table behind the President and guests of honor stood the National colors which were saluted before the diners sat down at the table.

The President of the Club, Mr. Joseph P. Donohue presided and also acted as Toastmaster, by virtue of his office. The following was the

### MENU

Fruit Cocktail	Vanderbilt
Golden Heart Celery	Stuffed Olives
Puree of Tomato Soup	Aux Croquettes
Oysters	Barbecued in the Shell
Roast Lamb	Jardiniere
Potatoes	O'Brien
Rice and Tomato Croquette	
Cold Asparagus Tips Salad	
Vinaigrette Dressing	
Harlequin Ice Cream	
Mixed Fancy Cakes	
Coffee	

As the last course was being served, the Toastmaster opened the speech making and afterwards called on the following persons to give short addresses, which they did: Dr. Crouter, Messrs Godwin, Kepp, Rev. Smaltz, and Messrs Lipsett, Sanders and Stevens.

The Dinner Committee was composed of Messrs. Harry E. Stevens, Charles A. Kepp and Elmer E. Scott, who deserve credit for the success of this most enjoyable banquet.

The most important event of historic interest among the deaf of Pennsylvania and perhaps, of the entire country during the last month of the year 1923, was the ordination to the Priesthood of Rev. Warren Milton Smaltz. This important and interesting services took place in the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Resurrection, of which the Rev. J. O. McIlhenny is Rector, early on the morning of December 23d, the Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Garland officiating. This church is situated hardly three squares from All Souls' Church for the Deaf, Broad and Tioga Streets, and was chosen because of its larger size and because of the fact that a hearing candidate for Holy Orders of that Church was to be ordained at the same time with Rev. Smaltz.

Seats were reserved for as many deaf persons as desired to attend the service in the forepart of the church of whom there were about fifty. The Ordination Sermon was preached by the Rev. H. A. F. Hoyt, of Cynwyd, a suburb of Philadelphia, and was interpreted in the sign language by Mr. Joseph Lipsett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lipsett.

In about six months from the time of his ordination to the Diaconate, Rev. Smaltz has been able to qualify for the higher Order of the Priesthood, having passed all examinations (about seventeen) successfully, which all must concede is a rapid advancement, considering his deafness. But he is not done with his studies. While serving All Souls' Church at present as minister, he continues to attend the School of Divinity until he graduates next June, when he will be eligible to a degree. So the final chapter of his rise into the ministry has yet to be written.

Rev. Smaltz conducted his first Communion service unassisted on Christmas Day, 1923, in All Souls' Church. Being absent from the city both during his ordination to the Priesthood and his first Communion service the writer has misgivings that this report of those important events is less complete than it should be, and if so, he regrets it. One of the things that we most like to do is to give credit where credit is due, but it often happens that, when information is necessary to be supplied to the chronicle, it is not forthcoming. Please do not construe this as a "dig" at any one in particular, but let all be reminded that it

should not be taken for granted that the JOURNAL correspondent hears everything that transpires in the community he represents. We always desire help and are grateful for such as is given by any one, even though it is not first received. The Philadelphia column is not our personal column, but for ALL the deaf of Philadelphia and others.

We are sorry to report a serious accident to Howard C. Kepner, of Bellwood, about seven miles east of Altoona, where he runs a shoe repairing shop, the only one in the place. It appears that on December 27th last, Mr. Kepner, finding his leather supplies low, decided to go to Altoona to replenish his stock. He boarded a trolley car and took the seat nearest to the motorman.

Presently the conductor came and engaged the motorman in conversation. Having passed the borough limits, the car was said to be running at full speed when a heavy truck loaded with about six tons of sand started to cross the track ahead. It was impossible then to avert a crash and the trolley car struck the truck with such force as to turn it completely round and about thirty feet clear off the rails. The motorman was instantly killed and most if not all the passengers were injured. He suffered a fracture of the left knee cap, compound fractures of the right leg between the knee and hip, commuted fracture of left scapula (collar-bone), and laceration above the right eye requiring two sutures. At the Altoona Hospital where all the injured passengers were taken, Kepner's condition was stated to be fair. The conductor also suffered a broken leg, and the car was badly damaged.

Mr. Kepner is aged 38, a graduate of the Mt. Airy School, and is Fire Patrol Chief of Bellwood. His repairing shop is necessarily closed now, all his unfinished work having been transferred to a similar shop in Tyrone to finish. Some deaf friends visited him in the hospital, but he was unable to talk, owing to his sufferings.

Mr. and Mrs. David Singerman, Altoona, celebrated there 10th wedding anniversary on the evening of December 29th. Many friends and relatives attended the pleasant affair.

The North Convocation of Philadelphia, comprising over 100 clergymen and laymen will meet in All Souls' Church on January 15th.

### GALLAUDET COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION CONVENTION.

The recent announcement that the Executive Board of the Alumni Association of Gallaudet College had called a meeting of the Association to be held at Washington next June was a surprising bit of news. Surprising for the fact that the Association had a regular meeting at Atlanta last August and left no unfinished business calling for another meeting ten months hence; surprising for the fact that there is no outstanding reason for a meeting of the Association at Washington, or elsewhere, next summer; and surprising for the fact that no effort was made to ascertain the sentiment of members generally concerning the holding of a convention at that time and place.

When the Alumni Association of Gallaudet College does meet it should be the major attraction of the year or so timed and located as to be able to share to the full certain advantages favorable to a large attendance in connection with some other attraction. In the past it has met in connection with conventions of the National Association of the Deaf, of Instructors of the Deaf, of World's Congresses of the Deaf held in this country, or it has met approximately near as to enable members to take in other conventions. Such has been the custom based on rational expediency. Such a custom will be violated should the Association meet in Washington next June in view of the fact that the outstanding attraction of the year will be the convention of the National Fraternal Society to be held in St. Paul early in July. If history repeats itself, as is likely, there will be a large number of Gallaudet graduates among the officers, delegates, alternates, and visitors at St. Paul only a few of whom,—they from near or east of Washington,—could conveniently attend both gatherings.

The day when a convention of the National Fraternal Society of the Deaf was of interest to members only has passed. True the business sessions are behind closed doors, but the social attractions have multiplied and are open to non-members of both sexes. Visitors are not only welcome but are urged to attend. And the social attractions at St. Paul will be further enhanced by the fact that Minnesota is a summer resort, having tourist rates for an extended period. Not so Washington in June. A meeting of the College Association at Washington next June will probably not make the least difference to the Fraternal Convention at St. Paul, soon to follow, but the Fraternal Convention is likely to detract from the Washington meeting. This can and should be avoided by postponing the Association meeting for at least a year, or until some outstanding attraction draws the rest of the country in the direction of Washington.

JAMES H. CLOUD.

## FANWOOD.

Mr. Fred W. Baars, who resigned his position as Instructor of Printing at the California Institution for the Deaf, owing to poor health, and went to Honolulu, is now back in Berkeley, Cal., and as his health is now very good, he intends to remain in the Golden State. Mr. Baars is another product of the New York Institution, who learned the Printing business under Mr. Edwin A. Hodgson.

During the Christmas recess our two teams, Fanwood Seniors and Juniors travelled to the Coliseum, Staten Island, accompanied by Manager Frank Lux to play basketball with the Curtis High School Seniors and Juniors, on Saturday afternoon, December 22d, 1923.

The court is a large one adapted for playing. The attendance was quite large. The game began at 4:30 P.M., between Fanwood and Curtis H. S. Juniors. At the end of the first half the Curtis H. S. Jr., led at 10 to 3, and in the second half the Curtis H. S., Jr., added to the score, while the Junior Fanwoods were only able to slightly improve in playing, and the final score was 27 to 10.

### The line-up:—

Curtis H. S. Jr. (27)	Fanwood Jr. (10)
Sher	R.F. Forman
Bloom	L.F. Kraemer (Capt.)
Kowahavak	C. Fitting
Sullivan	R.G. Hicks
Kopf	L.G. Behrens

Substitutions—Curtis High School Jr.: Schut for Sher, Loefer for Bloom, Lindeman for Sullivan, Tancorelli for Kopf. Fanwood Jr.: Kahn for Fitting, Loefer for Behrens, Fitting for Kahn, Field Goals—Forman, 1; Kraemer, 1; Kahn, 1; Schut, 1; Bloom, 3; Kowahavak, 1; Sullivan, 1; Kopf, 3; Tancorelli, 1. Foul Goals—Forman, 2 out of 2; Schut, 2 out of 3; Bloom, 2 out of 3; Loefer, 0 out of 1; Kowahavak, 1 out of 2; Lindeman, 2 out of 4. Referee—Mr. Reed, Timekeeper—Mr. Shields. Scorer, Cadet Musician Corporal Frank Heintz. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

The Fanwoods met the Curtis H. S. Jr., for the second game at 5 P.M. The game was fast from the beginning. Curtis H. S. led at 8 to 1. At the halfway the Fanwoods had tied the score—10 to 10 by shooting three goals. The score at the end of the first period was 18 to 12. In the second period the Fanwoods and Curtis H. S. had their fastest teams on the floor, and were again tied 25-25. After a few minutes of play the Curtis H. S. Jr., added a goal and won by 27 to 25.

### The line-up and summary:—

Curtis H. S. Jr. (27)	Fanwood Jr. (25)
Nugent	R.F. Shafrank
Mischand	L.F. Kerwin
Virgne	C. Pokorny (Capt.)
Sullivan	R.G. Cerniglio
Kinlock	L.G. McCarthy

Substitutions—Curtis H. S. Jr.: Kinlock for Virgne, Douglas for Sullivan, Rosen for Kinlock. Fanwood Jr.: Mazzola for McCarthy. Field Goals—Shafrank, 3; Kerwin, 4; Pokorny, 1; Cerniglio, 2; Nugent, 2; Mischand, 3; Virgne, 2; Kinlock, 1; Sullivan, 2; Douglas, 1. Foul Goals—Shafrank, 3 out of 5; Kerwin, 0 out of 1; Pokorny, 1 out of 3; Cerniglio, 1 out of 5; Nugent, 0 out of 1; Vuture, 0 out of 1; Mischand, 0 out of 2; Virgne, 4 out of 10; Kinlock, 0 out of 4; Sullivan, 0 out of 2; Rosen, 1 out of 1. Referee—Mr. Reed, Timekeeper—Mr. Shields. Scorer—Cadet Captain Robert J. Fitting. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

Cadet Lieutenant R. Behrens, one of the writers of the Fanwood column, announces that no one should forget putting 1924 on all letters. Are you feeling sad that the recent old year, 1923, has passed away?

Throughout the Christmas vacation Cadet Captain Robert J. Fitting, Cadet Lieutenant Rudolph Behrens and Cadet William Shorburn were working in the Printing Office; they had delicious dinners at the Institution instead of going to a restaurant.

On Wednesday, January 2d, Cadet Captain J. Mazzola left the Audubon Theatre just as the printers of the JOURNAL accompanied by Mr. Anthony Capelle got to the entrance after their work. He said that he was much interested in one of the popular cowboy movie actors by the name of Tom Mix.

Every one of the pupil's team enjoyed having engagements in basketball games somewhere during the holidays, in spite of the bad weather.

The Eddie Five resumed the basketball tournament with a victory over the Joe Five in the "gym" on Friday, January 4th, at 4:15 P.M. and won by a score of 23 to 15. The game was fast and cleanly played. Both teams did well in passing, but Captain Edward Kerwin, of the Eddie team, and Captain Joseph Mazzola, of the Joe team, surpassed others in shooting.

### The line-up and summary:—

Joe	Positions	Eddie
Mazzola	R. F.	Grossman
Fitting	L. F.	Olson
Garrick	C.	Kerwin
Mazzola	R. G.	Hicks
Bickman	L. G.	Blend
Knobloch		

Field Goals—Garrick, 1; Mazzola, 5; Grossman, 1; Kerwin, 3; Olson, 1; E. Hicks, 1. Foul Goals—Mazzola, 3 out of 9; Fitting, 0 out of 3; Bickman, 0 out of 1.

of 1; Olsen, 0 out of 2; E. Hicks, 1 out of 3; Kerwin, 0 out of 3. Referee—Lieutenant Frank Lux. Timekeeper—Cadet David Retzker. Scorer—Cadet Musician Daniel Aellis. Time of game—Fifteen minutes.

Late in the evening of the last day of the year, Cadet Corporal Frank Heintz, of our Band was a guest of Cadet Band Sergeant Isadore Dietz for one day. After an enjoyable party they saw a Studebaker auto crash into another, wherein there were some passengers, who were seriously hurt.

Cadet Lieutenant Arne Olsen lost four days of his holidays on account of having a toothache and also a headache. Poor Arne!

Last Thursday afternoon after school some of the boys were poking fun on two basket ball players, who played without wearing their rubber shoes in a game with the Burch team.

Last Sunday evening Cadet Ben Seetle accompanied Cadet William Kahn to the Railroad station to bid him goodbye before he left for Ohio, where he went to see his mother, whom he had not seen for about two years.

ROBERT AND RUDOLPH.

## PITTSBURGH.

With the old year gone into the eternity of time here's wishing all a most happy and prosperous New Year! But man beware! This is a year when the fair sex is given the prerogative of seeking her own during the next twelve months. Can a man with heart refuse a maiden's request? He need not fear lest she be too timid to pop the question. The girl of today is not the girl of yesterday. She is getting "brave and bold," which is only right and proper and in keeping with the times. Did not woman only recently request that she be given the franchise and be placed on an equal footing with man?

Saturday night, December 28th, was the occasion of a Christmas treat to the children by the Pittsburgh Branch, N. F. S. D., at McGeagh Hall. There was the usual feature at a "frat" gathering,—a capacity crowd. First on the program was Mr. Frank Leiter, who made remarks concerning the stage arrangement. The scenery is beautifully painted and can be shifted so as to represent other scenes.

John L. Friend in his usual rollicking manner which never fails to bring side-splitting laughter, then told a story about Old Nick who was soon to appear. A recitation "Just Before Christmas," by Jean Myles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Myles, followed with Mrs. Keith interpreting. With the disappearance of the flying hands from the stage, the children all of a sudden were up on their toes. Santa, boots first, was seen making his descent through the chimney. Down he came with a thud, his big bag full of candy-much to the delight of the little ones. This role was played by Mr. Bards almost to perfection. After the candy, came big juicy apples, which were a treat, indeed. The affair was a success and enjoyed by all.

McGeagh Hall was the scene of another pleasant gathering Monday night, December 31st. It was a "watch party" under the auspices of the Aux-Frats, and drew a good sized crowd. Those who knew "500" indulged in the game until a late hour or rather until the "eats" were served, which consisted of oyster soup, doughnuts and coffee. All reported a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leiter are now comfortably domiciled in their new home on East End Avenue, Wilkinsburg. It is an attractive little bungalow with all the modern facilities and one of which to be proud.

A surprise was sprung with the announcement of the marriage of Miss Virginia Rich to William Gibson which took place, December 15th, Mr. Gibson is employed by the Stevenson-Foster Co., as a printer. He belongs to the "open shop," saying that it would not be the part of wisdom to join the union under present conditions in the city. Too many union men are on strike with hope of concessions from employers as remote as it was four years ago when the strike started. At present the known deaf here on strike are Louis Shulte and Vincent Dunn. The former has gone to Washington, D. C., in search of a government job.

Abner Harkless, brother of our Paul, has been in the city for the holidays, renewing old friendships and making new ones. He lives in New York City, where he is employed as a painter and store window decorator. Among other visitors to the "Smoky City" were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wickline, of Akron, Ohio, and Miss Mariou Harmon, a former student of Gallaudet, and now of the teaching staff of the Mississippi School.

Mrs. Frances Blair, who had been confined in a hospital for four weeks as a result of an operation for appendicitis is reported to be on the road to recovery at her home in Burgetstown, Pa. This good news is conveyed by Mr. Fred Farke, who spent Christmas day at the mining town.

Joshua Finley has been in Atlantic City for a week. This is a strange season to spend one's time at such a place which strengthens the suspicion that Joshua has a real case. Some were heard so much as to say that wedding bells were to ring soon.

Mr. Frank Gray, who had a close call from pneumonia, is back home from the Presbyterian Hospital, where he was confined for three weeks. His illness has so weakened him that he is not able to do a full eight hours work. We hope he will soon be restored to his wonted healthy state, and resume his platform talks to us. His store of knowledge is over supplied, and we need some of it.

Mr. Schemer, of Sharon, Pa., is now employed in one of the printing offices here as a linotype operator.

Mr. Samuel M. Bean and wife, of Berkeley, California, are spending several weeks here in the city, making their headquarters near the School for the Blind. Mr. Bean lost both his hearing and sight at the age of thirteen through an accident. He is touring the country with his hearing wife as salesman for his booklets "Light in Darkness."

F. M. HOLLIDAY.

## Gallaudet College.

New Year Greetings from the Green. May you all be happy and prosperous as the old world wags on.

The holidays are but pleasant memories now, and the following list of events were arranged for the Yuletide season:

December 21—Party in Chapel Hall.  
December 22—Lecture Mr. O. D. Guire and party.  
December 23—Calling hours at Fowler Hall.  
December 24—Christmas tree and party, Chapel Hall.  
December 25—Dance in Men's Refectory.  
December 26—Theatrical contest. Boys vs. Girls.  
December 28—Dr. and Mrs. Hall's party.  
December 29—Social and spread by losers of Theatrical contest.  
December 31—Watch Night Party, Chapel.

Messrs. Kelly H. Stevens, '20, of Trenton, N. J., and Charles R. Dobbins, '21, of the same place, were visitors here during the holidays.

Mr. Eugene McConnell, '24, went home to Portsmouth, Ohio, for Christmas and motored back to this place accompanied by his mother, who will reside here the remainder of the winter.

Our mail man used extra motor trucks in hauling our Christmas mail and packages, and it appears as though we were all very well remembered.

Quite a few students went home for the holidays. Miss Mary E. Kannappell, who went to Louisville, Ky., appears to have made the longest jaunt. Philadelphia, New York, Cincinnati and points in Virginia were the destinations of other students.

During the holidays the young men escorted the Co-eds to the theatres in the afternoons in small parties, accompanied by chaperons. There were many good shows on the theatre holiday bills.

The students were pleased to have that staunch supporter of the blue, Mr. Joseph W. Bouchard, '21, pay a visit during the holidays. He was accompanied by his friend, Mr. Luden of the Connecticut School.

The boys again triumphed over the girls in the annual theatrical tilt, and as a result the girls had to foot the bill for the spread on the 29th. The Co-eds gave a "Dance of the Fairies," which impressed us very favorably, but the monkey-shines of Nathan Lahn and his crowd won the decision of the judges.

The basket ball squad is slowly rounding into form as the injuries sustained in foot-ball, have kept several regulars, including Captain Boatwright out of practice to date. Bradley, our most dependable guard, is also ailing. Practice games are being held with local High School teams, both at home and on their courts until the season starts January 5th. There are several weak spots on the team, but in the person of Wm. C. Riddle, P. C. Coach Hughes has a basketballer whose playing vies with that of any player in the local colleges.

Golf is the latest fad on the Green, and several students can be seen daily courting the west campus. The windows panes on that side of College Hall, are likely to suffer as the beginners add yardage to their shots.

The big Bucknell



# Deaf-Mutes' Journal

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## Gallaudet College.

Eugene McConnell's foresight was correct, on his return from the holiday vacation in Ohio he brought back a closed car and a good supply of red flannels. At present zero weather prevails here in Washington, and the radiators are over-seated, nor over-heated. The tennis courts were flooded in an effort to provide an ice rink for the benefit of the students from down "souf." We won't be so anxious for a touch of old fashioned winters next time.

Rev. Mr. Henry J. Palver, '17, had charge of the afternoon service in the College Chapel on the sixth. Mrs. Edward Allen Fay has presented the Fay family bible to the College for use in the chapel. The bible originally belonged to Dr. and Mrs. Barnabas M. Fay, parents of Dr. E. A. Fay. It is a splendid edition and is a most cherished gift.

The following young people who have spent the holidays with their parents here on the Green have returned to resume their duties, Percival Hall, Jr., to Harvard; Miss Marion Hall, to Goucher College; Mr. Allen Fay, to Haverford; Miss Ellen Fay, to Vassar; and Miss Grace Ely to New York.

A weekly column has been started in the Washington Post relating the various social events of Gallaudet and Kendall Green. Mr. Roy Nelson, N, is the reporter.

Mr. J. W. Blattner, who spent the vacation in New York as the guest of his brother has returned.

On New Year's Day the Co-eds held "Open House" from 10 to 12 A. M. in Fowler Hall, and received visitors who called to pay their respects, express their greetings for the coming year.

Mr. H. J. Stegemerten, of Overlea, Md., stopped in for a short visit en route home from an extended tour of the east. Miss Elizabeth Moss '21, of New York, also stopped here for a brief visit during the holidays.

Professor Elizabeth Peet entertained the members of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet at her home in Somerset House recently.

Mr. W. F. Mengest, formerly a instructor here, but now a student in the school of medicine at Johns-Hopkins was a visitor here Christmas.

The Alumni Association has announced the following prize-winners from the 1922-23 contributors to the *Buff and Blue* best story, M. Norman Scarvice, '27, best essay poem; Mr. J. N. Orman, '23 of New York. The interest of the old graduates in this respect is greatly appreciated by the younger generation.

The watch-party on New Year's Eve was well attended and the students engaged in card games for a while, then witnessed a play-let, "The Impromptu Stovel," in which Messrs. Kelly H. Stevens, '20; Charles R. Dobbins '21; Harland, Markel, '24, Albert Rose, '27, Peter Stewart, P. C., Miss Dobson, '25 and Mrs. H. S. Austin took part. At midnight the seniors went up into the tower as is the custom and tolled in the New Year.

The Literary Society has elected the following officers for this term: President, Mr. Santin, '24; Vice-president, Mr. Danofsky, '25 Secretary, Mr. Barnes, '26 and Treasurer Mr. Marsden, '27.

Miss Grace D. Coleman has returned from Cedar Spring, S. C., where she spent the holidays with her parents.

Gallaudet 36 Old Dominion Club 34.  
This season's tossers did a neat bit of work in trimming the Old Dominion Boat Club, in the initial trial of the seasons. The Alexand, Va. team is composed of former College players, who had played here before, and were anxious to score a win over our team. Coach Hughes started

with his regulars who easily showed the way to the canoeists, leading 30 to 16 around the first half, with Boatwright and Riddle scoring at will.

Then the coach began to send in substitutes who somehow could not get started, and it was a close call for us as the regulars were not sent in until the boat club was with in a single goal of tying the score. But after the regulars returned and hit their stride they held the game safe. All in all it was a nip and tuck affair from start to finish. These three South Carolinians, Capt. Boatwright, Riddle and Bradley are a sweet trio, all played a wonderful game. Between them they scored 25 of Gallaudet's points.

Pucci and Davis played the entire game and made a very creditable showing. The boat club made no substitutions, trying their very best to get the long end of the score.

Gallaudet	O. D. B. C.
Riddle	R. F. Becton
Boatwright, C.	L. F. Pierce
Pucci	C. Summers
Davis	R. G. Roberts
Bradley	L. G. E. Pierce

Field Goals—Boatwright, 5; Riddle, 3; Bradley, Pucci, 2; Becton, 6; Pierce, 5; Summers, 4; Roberts, 2. Fouls—Riddle, 4 out of 4; Pucci, 2 out of 5; Davis, 1 out of 2; Bradley, 3 out of 4. Substitutions—Danofsky for Riddle, McCall for Boatwright, Sczopa for Bradley.

The Conference of Superintendents of schools for the deaf in St. Augustine, Fla., this week has attracted many educators South. Supts. Alvin E. Pope, E. M. Goodwin and Dr. Crouter passed this way en route to the land of palms and sunshine.

Dr. Hall and Prof. Fuszfeld of out faculty also attended the conference.

She manager of the basketball teams and his able assistant have erected a third goal board in the gymnasium that does not hang against the walls. The players can practice under this goal for the games that are to be played on foreign courts. The goal can be lowered into place and drawn up out of the way as desired. It should aid the team, since our gymnasium is quite different from other gymnasiums.

The Co-eds have finally gotten underway in their basketball season and although beaten in their first encounter at the hands of the Wilson Normal school, they showed plenty of fight and gameness. Due to the fact that the men played a game the same night we were unable to see the game. The Co-ed schedule is as follows.

January 12—Wilson Normal (abroad).	January 19—George Washington (at home).
January 26—National Park Seminary (at home).	February 9—Walter Reed Nurses (at home).
February 23—National Park Seminary (abroad).	March 1—Eastern College, Va. (abroad).
March 9—Wilson Normal (at home).	

Miss Emma Sandberg is captain, Miss Lalla Wilson, manager, and Mr. L. M. Elstod, coach.

Dr. Hall and Professor Day were both ill for a few days last week. There was a most unusual change in the weather from zero to balmy spring within forty-eight hours. Fortunately most residents of Kendall Green suffered little with the change.

A picture of the entire student body of the College appeared in the Sunday Photogravure section of the Washington Post and everybody seems pleased with it. The picture was taken on the old chapel terrace steps and is most charming.

Due to the fact that the re-examinations of the first term were held around the week-end of January 12, there were no other events on the Green than the two basketball games. The reserve team is due to play the Episcopal H. S. at Alexandria, Va., January 16th.

Gallaudet, 59	Pt. Humphries, 33
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Our basketballers continued their winning streak when they trounced the Ft. Humphries engineer January 12th. The following is a clipping of the Washington Post:

Little difficulty was encountered by Gallaudet College basketballers in disposing of the Fort Humphrey five last night, 59-33, at the Gallaudet gymnasium. It was the second victory in two starts for the Kendall Greeners.

With Riddle leading the attack, the Kendall Greeners got away to a 13-7 lead during the first quarter and at half time were in the van, 30-15. Riddle's great work was responsible for the bulk of the Gallaudet scoring. He caged thirteen baskets throughout the game. Excellent passing and teamwork also figured in the victory.

Clatterbus at center was the only man to score consistently for the soldiers. He accounted for 12 of his team's points. Even with numerous substitutes in the line-up of Gallaudet, Fort Humphries was unable to stop the high scoring. McCall, in for Boatwright, accounted for six goals from the floor during the half. Wallace and Boatwright also performed well for the Kendall Greeners. Besides Clatterbus, Dyson and Reid stood out for Fort Humphries.

Gallaudet	Positions.	Pt. Humphries
Riddle	R. F.	McBride
Boatwright	L. F.	Dyson
Pucci	Center	Clatterbus
Davis	R. G.	Schaeffer
Bradley	L. G.	Reid

Floor goals—(Gallaudet) Riddle (13), McCall (6), Boatwright (5), Bradley, Davis, Pucci (2); (Fort Humphries) Clatterbus (2), Dyson (2), McBride (2), Peters

Schaeffer (2). Foul goals—(Gallaudet) Riddle, Wallace, McCall; (Fort Humphries) Dyson (4), Clatterbus (2), Reid (2), McBride. Substitutions—(Gallaudet) Wallace for Bradley, McCall for Boatwright, Boatwright for Riddle, Riddle for Pucci, Danofsky for Boatwright, Bradley for Davis, Schenemen for McCall, Sczopa for Bradley; (Fort Humphries) Peters for Reid, Barlow for Schaeffer, Temple for Dyson, Schaeffer for Barlow, Bramlette for McBride, Duke for Clatterbus, Referee—Mr. Haas. Time of periods—Ten minute quarters.

## FANWOOD.

Under the auspices of the Fanwood Literary Association, Prof. Edward S. Burdick on Thursday evening, January 10th, entertained with a lecture on "The Bok Peace Prize," which at present is receiving much discussion in the press and even in Congress. The Professor explained what it was all about.

Several of the pupils were present at the 22d Regiment Armory on Saturday evening, January 5th, to see the basketball game between the Deaf Mutes' Union League and Precious Blood Fives. The latter won by 42 to 40. The affair was under the auspices of the Deaf Mutes' Union League. After the basketball games there was dancing, and those present greatly enjoyed the affair.

On Thursday evening, January 3rd, the Proteans gave a surprise party to Cadet First Sergeant Charles Knobloch in honor of his birthday.

On Monday, January 7th, at 4:15 P. M., there was a thrilling game between the "Bon" and "Dick" teams. The "Bon" team triumphed over the "Dick" team by the score of 34 to 24.

The line-up:—  
Dick (24) Ben (34)  
Port F. Shafanek (Capt.)  
Schruman F. Harr  
Vokorny (Capt.) C. Yager  
Dietz G. Goodhope  
Forman G. Krassner

Re eree—Lieut. naat Frank Lux. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes

Mr. Clinton Conklin, of Beacon, N. Y., a graduate, who was one of Miss Carroll's pupils, is now enrolled in the Metropolitan Art School, and making rapid progress. Albert McKay, another graduate of this school, living in Newburgh, N. Y., has a fine upholstery and chair-caneing business, and is also doing well. The Principal is always pleased to hear of the progress of former pupils.

Last week we had the most varied weather that old timers here can remember. The forepart of the week it was freezing weather. Mr. Peter Eggler, the assistant Gardner and Groundkeeper flooded the skating rink, and the pupils got out their skates preparatory to enjoy the winter sports, but rain followed, and afterwards warm weather again visited this part of woods, so you see you can't tell what the morrow will bring forth. The pupils have put their skates back, but are praying for a cold snap so that they can use them.

In the meantime some lie to the Palace Skating Rink, not far from the Institution.

Mr. Edwin A. Hodgson, the Editor of the DEAF MUTE JOURNAL called in the Printing Office every day last week, except on Saturday, January 12th, when he left on the steamer "Fort St. George," for Bermuda. He expects to be gone till February 1st, when he expects to resume his duties after a long lay off from sickness.

Rev. Antoni Turkiewicz, a teacher of the deaf and dumb in Lwow (pronounced Luoff), Poland, arrived in New York on January 11th and on Monday, the 14th, was a visitor here. He expects to tour the country and see how the deaf are taught. If he can get a position as teacher in America, he may remain for good.

Principal Gaudner left for Florida on Sunday morning to attend the Conference of Principals of Schools for the Deaf, of which he is President, to be held during this week at the St. Augustine School.

Last Friday evening the Fanwood writer gave an entertaining rendering of "Ragged Dick" in the presence of many small pupils surrounding a table in the study room, and they had a pleasant evening. He says he will keep on telling entertaining stories soon during the kill time.

Last Saturday morning, January 12th, Cadet Lieutenant Benny Shafanek practiced training in our boys' yard for a walking match. He said that he has made up his mind to be one of the best walkers, but Cadet Captain Joseph Mazzola and Cadet First Sergeant Charles Knobloch still keep in training too.

Those who are impatiently waiting for the snow, which does not fall are wondering if they will have coasting on the hill, say, "What's the matter with the funny weather this year?"  
Oh! Poor little pupils.

Last week (Friday evening) Mr. Braddock spoke on a good subject "The Foreigner Mission Society"

to the Episcopal pupil's congregation in St. Ann's Church. They were much interested in it.

Sunday evening, January 13th, Mr. Albert Sumner, a recent graduate of this school, was a visitor here. He has a good steady position in a Bakery Company.

Dr. Fox still has a gold watch, which he has used more than 35 years. He was presented with a new watch as a Christmas gift and now has plenty of time.

A Fanwood writer wishes to announce that he believes in forcing all pupils to study their lessons very hard and to read books, which will help improve their minds.

ROBERT AND RUDOLPH.

## CHICAGO.

Does it pay to be fearless and fair?  
Does it pay not to run with "the pack"?  
To meet men with brotherly air—  
And not run one down 'hind his back?  
To tell you the truth I have doubted it long,  
As I've gazed on the wolf-pack so surly and strong—  
As I've bluffed away heart-aches with snatches of song.  
And have fought off each savage attack.  
"Let justice be done tho' the heavens may fall,"  
Mort Henry is FAIR yet is liked by them all!!!

Morton Henry was inaugurated for his forth successive term as president of Chicago frat division No. 1, New Year's. In the 22 years of No. 1's history only two or three men ever won the presidency two years—and none before Henry won presidential emine more than twice.

Henry is supremely fitted for the post—a college grad of supermentality, energetic yet patient, and above all (this is most important) absolutely FEARLESS AND FAIR. Other officers installed are: Vice-president David Padden (his many terms as treasurer so endeared him to Chicagoans that he takes the post held by William LaMotte for more years than the average man remembers) Secretary Charles Kemp (re-elected); Treasurer, Ed. Knobloch; Director, Alfred Liebenstein; Sergeant, H. C. Tegtmeier; Trustee, C. C. Codman.

Alma Mebane had always looked eagerly forward to attaining her 21st birthday. On that date the estate would be distributed—Alma was the youngest of many children.

Three years ago Alma came to Chicago to visit her sister, Mrs. C. Schustler. Like so many visitors, Alma found life in a large metropolis so different from her quiet country home that she stayed on and on. Quiet, plump, and pretty; pleasant, smiling, and demure, Alma was welcomed at every party.

"I will be 21 on January 1st, 1924, then I am going home," she would say.

Alma was 21 on January 1st, 1924—and on that day she arrived home IN A COFFIN.

She died here of amnesia, or lack of blood. Transfusions were unavailing. Service at the undertaking parlors December 30th, conducted by Rev. Dahms.

New Year's Eve always sees a joyous jollification at Chicago clubs. Mrs. Charles Kemp staged the joyful jamboree at the Pas-a-Pas—yclept a "kid party." Confetti and streamers and horseplay and the village cut-up ensured a good time. Profit \$36.19. Fun lasted until 2 A. M.

The Silent A. C. seems to have eclipsed the Pas in the matter of New Year Eve frolics—lasted until dawn. The Sac membership is relatively younger. From reports the Sac frolic was 100 per cent fun, orderly and well conducted.

A dainty lady at one of the clubs lost her new \$65 pearl necklace during the frolics, and frantically searched high and low, aided and abetted by all and sundry with visions of a \$5 reward. The lovely damsel finally located the lost necklace reposing in the shelter of her pink silk what'd'ycallam, where it had fallen when the clasp had broken.

For the first time in the memory of man that sedate Nestor of Chicago Silentdom, Dr. George T. Dougherty, was not present at the gala doings. He has been very sick for several weeks—rip.

Thursday, December 27th, some sixty gathered at the Pas-a-Pas to celebrate the fifty seventh wedding anniversary of the Edwin Brashars—oldest native deaf Illinoisans. A purse of \$26 was presented the aged couple. Ice-cream and cake were served.

Brashar's father was born in 1796, and was therefore three years old when George Washington died. Old Edwin himself was guard on a wagon train crossing the plains to Denver in 1860. "I could have bought several acres of what are now Chicago business lots from the proceeds of that one expedition alone," old Edwin will tell you sorrowfully.

Says the Herald and Examiner of January 3d:

BREGGAR WORTH \$3,700 POUND DEAD FROM GAS

"Two bank books, showing \$3,700 on deposit, and a card indicating he had been a begger, were found beside the body of Kreker Bushman last night in a gas filled room at 940

S. State Street. Police said he had committed suicide. The card read: "I am deaf and dumb. Please help me." Dr. J. J. Muldoon told police the man had visited his office recently to beg for narcotics."

The Impostor Bureau of the N. A. D. nipped in the bud a beautiful "seven-years-plague" of impostors before the war, but of course stray instances crop up now and then; most being promptly squashed by alert and intelligent silents, or by the hearing population the Nad publicity propaganda educated. Alertness is still the war-cry. Frank Pleasant, now printing instructor at the Wisconsin State School for the Deaf, recently refused to print an order for 200 alphabet cards, suspecting same were to be used for "peddling."

Chicago's own Massinkoff is the only Gallaudet player picked by the Washington Post for the All District of Columbia team! The other ten men hail from Georgetown, George Washington, and Catholic Universities. "Massy" is placed at half, although both Burns and Hughes have always played him at quarter.

Burns made a creditable showing this year, despite the loss of several men (the only three first-year men on Gallaudet's squad were all on Burns I. S. D. team last year.) The Kiawanis Club, of Jacksonville, invited our State School team to a banquet attended by other scholastic stars. An All-Jacksonville team selected by the paper there, (a consensus of six experts) picked from Rount College, Jacksonville High, and I. S. D., gives the deaf lads six out of eleven places.

Edward Rowse, former Grand Treasurer of the frats, is said to be working in a Boston bank, going to the suburban home of his mother for week-ends. His mother is thought to be in such failing health that the ends is not far off. It is surmised by some that Rowse will eventually be back in our midst.

Mrs. Fannie Hunter has been quite ill with the grip since New Year's

Johnnie Purdum rented his furnished home to a "couple." On returning from that month inspecting his reality in Arkansas, he found the "couple" consisted of eight adults and a large collie dog. Purdum took inventory of the cigarette holes in his Axminster rug, of the tobacco stains and other unmentionable clues on the wall paper, of all six broken faucets, and what right up in the air.

"I lost good money on that tenant 'couple,'" walls Purdum imparteth mournfully. "My faith in human nature is tottering. Next time I rent my home I intend to be sure it won't be an annex to the pest house or the dog pond."

The Pas-a-Pas Club is the first to order a standing "free admission" policy for inmates and officers of the new Home for Aged Deaf.

The Chicago Association of the Deaf will hold its annual business meeting January 23, Wednesday, at All Angels' Parish House, 6121 Indiana Avenue. Meeting at 8, but many of the silents will come early to try the fifty cent feed the ladies of the church serve at 6:15. All welcome.

Mrs. Gus Hyman, Superintendent of the new Home, wishes to thank the considerate unknown party who gave the Home a year's free subscription to the national deaf newspaper—the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL.

LaFayette Patten, whose picture appeared in the December *Silent Worker* as "member of Board of Managers of new Illinois Home for Aged Deaf," is not a member any longer. The reason is simple. LaFayette Patten died at Clearence, Illinois, December 21st. We wonder if he even saw the splendid article containing his picture, before he died.

Mrs. James Watson left on the roth for a few weeks at Palm Beach, Florida.

Grandmaw Minnie Sullivan with daughter and husband, plan to spend several months in Florida this winter.

Sol. M. Henoch, of LaPorte, Indiana, was a visitor at the weekly Wednesday supper at All Angels' January 9th.

The ladies of the Sac held their "500" banquet on the roth.

Dates ahead: January 19—Sac Masquerade, 55 cents. 23—C. A. D. meeting at All Angels' All welcome. February 2—Sac Vaudeville, managed by L. Cherry.

J. FREDERICK MEAGHER.

## GALLAUDET COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION RE-UNION.

DEAR EDITOR HODGSON:—In the January 10th issue of the JOURNAL, Dr. Cloud expresses himself as very much surprised that the Board of Directors has seen fit to unanimously accept the invitation of the authorities of the College to hold a re-union in Washington the coming June. Really I am surprised at such an exhibition of lack of loyalty to one's Alma Mater. I am more-over exceedingly surprised that he wishes the Association to be continuously playing second fiddle to some other organization. I am surprised that he cannot differentiate between an ordinary meeting and a re-union. One of the objects of the Association is to perpetuate the friendships formed in college life

and to promote social and fraternal relations among graduates of different college generations." The attainment of such an object requires that the Association meet in Washington at frequent intervals. The last re-union was held fully a decade ago, and in face of the several invitations extended by the college authorities recently, it is the part of wisdom to meet in 1924 to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the founding of the college.

Dr. Cloud is entirely wrong when he states that no effort was made to ascertain the sentiment of the members in regard to the holding of a meeting next summer. The question on every hand at Atlanta was "When will the next re-union be held?" And since the announcement was made I have received assurance from members in different sections of the country that they will attend, I must confess, though, that I failed to ask Dr. Cloud what his opinion was.

In further clarifying the situation it may be helpful to state that 1925 would not be a good time for such a re-union on account of the Teacher's Meeting in Council Bluffs. Such meetings are usually held immediately after the close of the schools and at such a time as would be convenient for the College to have us in Washington. Certainly we would not find much satisfaction in being here, with the President and a large number of the Professors in a distant part of the country.

It has been argued that the N. A. D. may hold its next meeting in the East in 1926, and that re-union should be held at that time. But it should be remembered that this Association usually convenes late in the summer at a time when it would not be desirable to have us at the College owing to the fact that most of the employees are away on their vacations, and to the fact that repairs are in progress. And what is still more important the members of the Faculty are all away at such a time of the year.

Therefore, with all due respect to the plans of the National Fraternal Association of the Deaf of which I claim to be a member, it seems expedient that the Alumni Association hold its re-union from June 15th to 19th of the coming summer. This allows almost three weeks before the St. Paul gathering, and as those who have business there will have their expenses paid, the cost of the trip to Washington will be no argument against the re-union.

H. D. DRAKE,  
President of the Alumni Association.

WASHINGTON, D. C.  
Jan. 11, 1924.

## The Mysterious Eagle.

On the broad top of a stony, rain-gulched hill in middle Georgia there lies a very large eagle, concealing which conflicting stories are told.

The one point that seems to be certain is that the Indians left the eagle as a legacy to the State. A hundred years from now it will probably be found lying on its back, with outspread wings and tail even as it lies to-day. For it is made of quartz rocks so cunningly placed that it would require a pick in a strong man's hands to displace any one of them. The rocks laps and overlap in such a manner as to represent feathers. No cement holds them in position, and the stones vary in size, weighing from a half pound to three or four pounds. The image rests on a very firm foundation, for the stonework extends several feet into the ground.

Once, perhaps twice, treasure-seeking vandals dug into the breast of the eagle; but the work must have proved too laborious, for the diggers gave up before they had reached the bottom layer of overlapping stones.

Rough but fairly accurate measurements of the bird show the length of the eagle from the middle of the tail to the head to be one hundred and two feet, and from tip to tip of outspread wings, one hundred and twenty feet. The length of the beak is ten feet, and the height of the body at the centre of the breast is ten feet. The eagle lies with its head to the west.

Tradition does not give a satisfactory explanation of the age of the meaning of the great stone mound. It may have had religious significance to the red men who built it, and it may be the burial place of some great chief. It is one of the most mysterious and most interesting of prehistoric monuments in the United States.

## Now We Know Why Pork is Expensive

Marjore, who for the first time had motored with her parents to the country, seemed to enjoy all the various scenes about the farm. Somewhat to the horror of her mother she even took a keen interest in the butchering of a hog.

"Father," she said after she had seen the hog cut up, "I bet you never knew that a pig has an inner tube."—*Ex.*

The fact that a wife has a separate bank account doesn't prevent her from endorsing checks at the wrong end.

## DEATH OF DR. DOBYNS

WAS FOR THIRTY THREE YEARS SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSISSIPPI INSTITUTION FOR DEAF AND DUMB—A LEADER IN EDUCATIONAL AND RELIGIOUS WORK.

The funeral of the late Dr. J. R. Dobyns, for thirty three years superintendent of the Mississippi Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, takes place at four o'clock this afternoon in the First Presbyterian Church at Little Rock.

Dr. J. B. Hutton pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of this city, one of the most intimate friends of the dead educator, will conduct the obsequies, assisted by the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Little Rock, of which congregation Dr. Dobyns was a ruling elder.

The passing away of this splendid Christian gentleman, while not wholly unexpected, came as a profound shock to hundreds of Jackson friends. Dr. Dobyns had been in failing health for the past two years, his heart having been greatly weakened by an attack of influenza, but it was not until last summer that his condition was such as to cause anxiety. Always a man of prodigious energy, he kept steadily at his work as superintendent of the Arkansas Institution for the Deaf until mid-summer, when the family physician ordered him to Canada, where he spent several weeks. Dr. Dobyns returned home apparently much improved in health, but during the month of November he suffered a relapse and since that time had been almost continuously confined to his room.

In educational and religious circles throughout the South Dr. Dobyns had been a recognized leader for more than a quarter of a century. It was due to his vision and foresight that Mississippi built an institution for the education of the deaf and dumb that compares favorably with any school in the Union, and he remained in charge of that institution until intolerable political conditions prompted him to resign. He was chosen as President of the Southwestern Presbyterian University, at Clarksville, Tenn., but served in that office only a short time. He then served about three years as president of the College at Abingdon, Va., but the urge to return to that form of educational work to which the best years of his life had been consecrated was so strong that when the Governor of Arkansas tendered him the office of superintendent of the Institution for the Deaf in that State he accepted and took up his residence in Little Rock. Under his splendid guidance the Arkansas School was quickly brought to the front, and now holds rank among the best in the United States.

In religious work Dr. Dobyns was a leader who wielded wonderful power and influence. He was a veritable tower of strength in the Presbyterian Church a man whose counsel was always sought in forward movements and who was relied upon to do more than his full share in the promotion of God's kingdom.

During his period of residence in Jackson Dr. Dobyns was a close friend and contemporary of the late Hon. C. Alexander and intimately allied with in many of the works promoted by that great churchman and Christian leader, including the prohibition movement